

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HAE-KUM YE, ET AL.)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to the Examiner acting in the above-referenced application, please preliminary amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.